

# Knut Rost is stepping down as CEO of Diös

**After 10 years as CEO of Diös, Knut Rost will leave his position. When Knut took his position in March 2014, the parties agreed on an employment agreement valid until the turn of the year 2024. Knut will continue to work as CEO in the company during 2024 or until a new CEO is recruited to enable a successful transition. Diös' board, through Bob Persson, Erika Olsén and P-G Persson, immediately begins a recruitment process.**

- That I leave as CEO of Diös after 10 years feels both natural and wistful at the same time. It has been a fantastic and successful journey where we have built the company to become a leader in our market – northern Sweden. This could not have been possible without the good cooperation and trust I have received from the owners, the board and our employees over the years. Together, we have created the company's growth, which has taken us to where we are today. I am grateful for all the years as CEO of the company. Now it is time for me to make room for something else in my professional life. I will remain as CEO of the company during 2024 or until a new CEO is in place and will of course follow Diös' continued growth journey, says Knut Rost, CEO of Diös.

- During his 10 years at Diös, Knut has led the company in a very strong growth phase where our property values increased from SEK 12 to 31 billion. We have a strong position and our cities are leaders in the green transition that industrial Sweden is now in. This guarantees a continued strong demand for commercial premises and properties in our market. Knut has also created a strong business culture among our employees. The board is now starting the process of recruiting a successor to continue driving the company forward, says Bob Persson, Chairman of the board of Diös.

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